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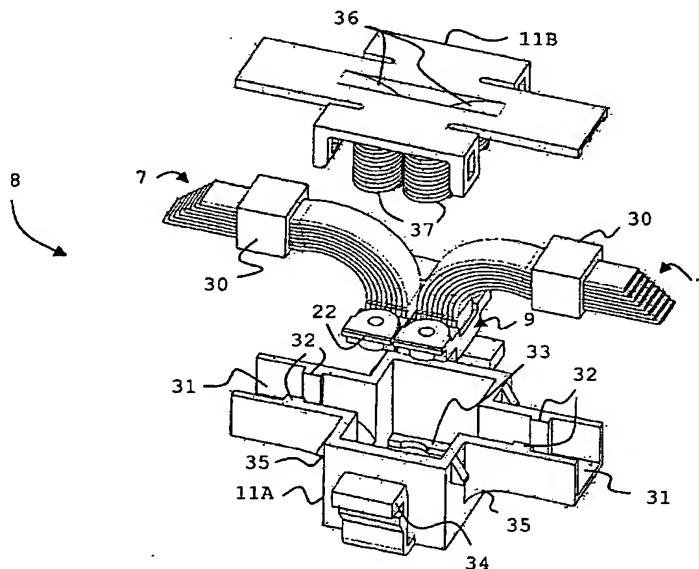
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(57) Abstract: The invention relates to an optical board connector assembly (8) for optically connecting an array of optical fibres (40) to a circuit board embedded device (4) comprising a connector housing (11) comprising a support structure (33) and at least one fibre fixation part (9). The fibre fixation part (9) comprises a ferrule part (10) for containing said optical fibres (40) and a support part (22) adapted to cooperate with said support structure (33) such that said ferrule part (10) protrudes at least partly from said connector housing (11). The invention also relates to a fibre fixation part (9) for use in such an assembly (8).



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